ARKANSAS FY 2017 LIHEAP

PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SNAPSHOT

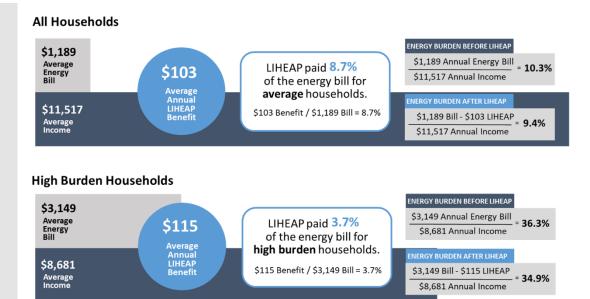
In FY 2017, Arkansas furnished LIHEAP bill payment assistance to 82,985 households. They collected energy burden data for 48,083 households (58%)

Does LIHEAP furnish higher benefits to higher burden households?

Yes. In Arkansas, the total LIHEAP benefit received by high burden households in FY 2017 was about **\$12 (11%) more** than the total LIHEAP benefit received by the average recipient household.

Does LIHEAP pay a larger share of the home energy bill for high burden households?

No. In FY 2017, LIHEAP paid **8.7%** of the energy bill for average households in Arkansas, while LIHEAP paid **3.7%** of the energy bill for high burden households.



Prevention and Restoration of Home Energy Service Loss

As a Result of Bill Payment Assistance

Prevention (81%)
Restoration (19%)
372 Occurrences

As a Result of Equipment Repair or Replacement

Prevention (39%)
15 Occurrences
Restoration (61%)
23 Occurrences

- In FY 2017, LIHEAP benefits in Arkansas prevented the loss of service 1,632 times, by stopping threatened utility service disconnections and by delivering fuels to homes that were at risk of running out. In addition, the program repaired or replaced heating or cooling equipment at imminent risk of failure 15 times.
- In FY 2017, LIHEAP benefits restored home energy service 372 times for households who had been disconnected by their utility provider or who had run out of fuel oil, propane, or wood. In addition, the program restored home energy service 23 times by repairing or replacing inoperable heating or cooling equipment.